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Application No. 09/932,213

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In re application of:

In re WEBB

Group Art Unit No.: 2673

Examiner: CHANG, K. Wu.

Serial No.: 09/932,213

Filed: August 17, 2001

For: A MOBILE DEVICE HAVING
MOVEABLE SEGMENTS THAT CAN BE
ADJUSTED TO AFFECT AN OVERALL
DEVICE LENGTH

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SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	-20** =	X	
Multiple Dependent	-3** =	X	

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1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20
1201 86	2201 43	Independent claims in excess of 3
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1204 86	2204 43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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1051 130	2051 65	1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1053 130	1053 130	1812 2,520	1812 2,520	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053 130	1053 130	1804 920*	1804 920*	Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	1804 920*	1804 920*	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804 920*	1804 920*	1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	1251 110	2251 55	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251 110	2251 55	1252 420	2252 210	Extension for reply within first month	
1252 420	2252 210	1253 950	2253 475	Extension for reply within second month	
1253 950	2253 475	1254 1,480	2254 740	Extension for reply within third month	
1254 1,480	2254 740	1255 2,010	2255 1,005	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255 2,010	2255 1,005	1401 330	2401 165	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401 330	2401 165	1402 330	2402 165	Notice of Appeal	
1402 330	2402 165	1403 290	2403 145	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403 290	2403 145	1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	1452 110	2452 55	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452 110	2452 55	1453 1,330	2453 665	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453 1,330	2453 665	1501 1,330	2501 665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501 1,330	2501 665	1502 480	2502 240	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502 480	2502 240	1503 640	2503 320	Design issue fee	
1503 640	2503 320	1460 130	1460 130	Plant issue fee	
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